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Gold & Silver Coins of Great Britain

An Accompt of Gold Monies of

Twenty two Carrats fine and Two Carrats Allay to the Pound Waight Troy and Silver Monies of Eleven Ounces Two Pennyweights fine and Eighteen Penny Weights Allay and at Sixty two Shillings in Tale to the Pound Weight Troy coind from the 20th. day of July 1660 inclusive first made out from the Duplicates and attested Copies of the Controllmt. Rolls and other Books remaining in the Mint by Order of the Honble Richd. Arundell Esqr. then Master and Worker of his Majestyes Mint

By Anthony Pollett of the Mint

And since continued by the same

Coind by King Charles y 2.d

Before the Coinage Act from the 20.th July 1660 To the 31.st of December 1660

1661

1662

1663

1664

1665

To the 20.th of Decr. 1666

Total Coind before the Act _____

Of which Quantity there was Coined into the Coins still Current _____

This Gold was coind into Broad Peices and the Silver was hammerd Money _____

Gold				Silver			
Lwt	oz	dwt	Grs	Lwt	oz	dwt	Grs
110	03	12	12	543			
93	02	17	12	7,484		10	
713	01	13		160,218	08		
27	08			98,412	01	18	18
1,191	03	03	06	14,301			
1,965	02	09	06	19,910	03		
1,391	01	01	18	11,892			
5,493	10	17	06	312,761	01	08	18
4,575	02	14	06	137,069	10	18	18
918	08	03		175,691	02	10	

By King Charles the 2nd.

	£	s	d	q
The Broad Peices at 3:17:10½ ℔ Ounce were worth	42,925	05	08	
The Hammerd Silver at 5:2 ℔ Ounce were worth	544,642	14	11	
Sterling Value of the Broad Peices and hamd Silver coind by K. Chas 2nd	587,568	00	07	

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Coind by King Charles 2nd.

Since the Act for incouraging of Coinage
From the 20th. of December 1666 To the 31st of
December inclusive

	Gold Lwt	oz	dwt	Grs	Silver Lwt	oz	dwt	Grs
1666	74	05	17	12	90			
1667	2,824	04	10	01	17,131	02		
1668	4.449	11	04	07	40,303	02		
1669	2.619	11	07	14	14,291	09	10	
1670	2,737	09	14	14	46,142	11		
1671	3,853	11	17	6	38,645	02	17	
1672	1,880	00	03	01	86,673	08	17	
1673	2.693	03	13	16	101.064	04	15	
1674	1,844	11	11	16	10,286	03	15	
1675	1,162	08	13	03	1,856	02	05	
1676	5,249	08	07	07	101.836	11	15	
1677	5,135	11	16	18	146.034	00	13	
Carryed over	34,527	02	16	19	604.355	11	07	

Coind by King Charles 2.nd

		Gold				Silver			
		Lwt	oz	dwt	Gra	Lwt	oz	dwt	Gra
Since the Act &c.	Brought over	34.527	02	16	19	604.355	11	7	
	1678	3.075	05	00	12	7.366	2		
	1679	12.009	02	05	06	87.313	3	5	
	1680	12.854	11	14	15	58.204	00	10	
	1681	6.721	09	08	09	30.782	11	10	
	1682	4.124	04	12	06	12.759			
	1683	8.299	03	01	12	69.851			
	1684	6.392	11	15		17.309	09	03	20
To the 6.th day of February	1684/5	444				nil			
Total coind since the Act		88.449	02	14	07	887.942	01	15	20
Coind before the Act		5.493	10	17	06	312.761	01	08	18
Total coind by King Charles the Second		93.943	01	11	13	1.200.703	03	04	14

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Coind by King Charles 2nd.

	Gold Lbt	oz	dwt	Grs	Silver Lbt	oz	dwt	Grs
Brought over	93,943	01	11	13	1,200,703	03	04	14
Coind into Broad Peices and Hammerd Money	918	08	03		175,691	02	10	
Total coind by K. Charles 2nd. into Money still Curr	93.024	05	08	13	1,025,012	00	14	14

		£	s	d	qr
Value of the Lbt 93,024:05:08:18 at £3:17:10½ p Ounce		4,346567	10	07	2
Value of the 1,025,012:00:14:14 at £0:5:2 p Ounce		3,177,537	07	09	1
Sterling Value of the present Current Money coind by K. Charles 2nd.		7,524,104	18	04	3

Coind by King James 2nd

		Gold Lbt	oz	Dwt	Grs	Silver Lbt	oz	Dwt	Grs
From the 6th of February to 31st Decr	1685	11,631				30,572		10	
	1686	13,874	4	15		19.294	10	5	
	1687	9,018	1			80,848	5		
	1688	12,613	8	6		24,590	6	11	20
To the 13th of Febry	1688/9	360	4			11,893			
Total coind by King James the 2nd		47,497	6	1		167,198	10	6	20
Value of the Gold at £3:17:10½ ℔ Ounce						2,219,320	17	7	2
Value of the Silver at £0:5:2 ℔ Ounce						518,316	9	5	1
Sterling Value of all the Money coind by King James the Second						2,737,637	7	0	3
Coind by King Charles the Second						7,524,104	18	4	3
Coined before the Revolution of Money still Current						10,261,742	5	5	2

Coin'd by King William & Q. Mary

	Gold				Silver			
	Lwt	oz	dwt	Grs	Lwt	oz	dwt	Grs
From the 13th of Febry to the 31st of Decembr 1689	2,526				19,259	6	15	17
1690	1,094	10	13		643	5		
1691	1,224	7	15		1,203	5	7	18
1692	2,373				1,341	10	17	8
1693	1,157	8	12	14	2,992	6	1	
1694	1,386	5			51	6	16	13
Total coin'd during the Joynt Reign of K. Will.m & Q.M.	9,962	8	0	14	25,492	4	18	8

	£	s	d	q.
Value of the Gold at £3:17:10½ ℔ Ounce	465,505	14	3	1
Value of the Silver at £0:5:2 ℔ Ounce	79,026	9	4	3
Sterling Value of the Money coin'd by King Wm and Queen Mary	544,532	3	8	
Coin'd before the Revolution	10,261,742	5	5	2
Coin'd of the Moneys still curt before the Decease of Queen Mary	10,806,274	9	1	2

Coind by King Wm. after the Decease of Q. Mary

		Gold Lbs	oz	dwts	grs	Silver Lbs	oz	dwts	grs
From Decembr. the 28 to 31st inclusive	1694	nil				nil			
	1695	16.117	3			20			
	1696	3.115				810,275	2	12	14
	1697	2.706	8			707.160			
	1698	10.597				105.364			
	1699	3.177				19,498			
	1700	2.701	4	14	11	4.805	10	6	16
	1701	26,742				37,477			
To the 8th March	1701/2	1.710				nil			
Coind in the Tower		66,866	3	14	11	1,684,600	00	19	6
Coind in the Country Mints 1696. 7. 8 Viz.t at Bristol						146.977			
Chester						101.660			
Exeter						147.296			
Norwich						83.040			
York						99.023			
Coind by K. William after the Decease of Q. Mary		66,866	3	14	11	2.262.596	0	19	6

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Coind by King William

	Gold				Silver			
	Lib	ʒ	dwt	grs	Lib	ʒ	dwt	grs
Brought over	66,866	3	14	11	2,262,596	00	19	6
Coind during the Joynt Reign	9,962	8	0	14	25,492	4	18	8
Total coind from the Accessn. to the Decease of K. W.	76,828	11	15	01	2,288,088	5	17	14

	£	s	d	f
Value of the Gold Coind by King William during his Sole Reign at £3:17:10½ ℔ Ounce	3,124,328	6	11	
Value of the Silver coind during Dº at 0:5:2 ℔ Oz	7,014,047	16	11	3
Sterlg. Value of the Money coind King Willm. during his Sole Reign	10,138,376	3	10	3
Sterlg. Value of ye Money coind during the joint Reign	544,532	3	8	
Sterlg. Value of all the Moneys coind from the Accession to the Decease of King William	10,682,908	7	6	3
Coind before the Revolution	10,261,742	5	5	2
Total coind of the Money still Currt. to the Decease of King William	20,944,650	13	0	1

Coin'd by Queen Anne

	Gold Lwt	oz	dwt	Grs	Silver Lwt	oz	dwt	Grs
From the 8th. of March to ye 31st. of Decr. inclusive 170	1,932				114	6		
170	34	2			718			
170	nil				4,007			
170	104				429	7	15	
170	537				932			
170	607				1,174			
1708	1,010				3,751			
1709	2,468				25,423			
1710	3,716				817			
1711	9324				24,768			
1712	2,855				1,784	8		
1713	13,137				2,333			
To the 1st. of August 1714	20,108				553			
Coind by Queen Anne in the Tower	55,832	2			66,804	9	15	
Coind by the Mons.ds of England in Edinburgh Mint at the Union					103,346			
Total of the present curr.t Money coind by Queen Anne	55,832	2			170,150	9	15	

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Coind by Queen Anne

	Gold Lbs	oz	dwt	grs	Silver Lbs	oz	dwt	grs
Brought over	55,832	2			170,130	9	15	

	£	s	d	qrs
Value of 55,832 lb 2 oz Gold at £3:17:10½ ℔ Ounce		2,608,757	19	9	
Value of 170,130 lb 9 oz 15 dwt Silver coind in the Tower		207,094	18	04	2
Value of 320,372 lb 12 oz Scotch Silver		320,372	12		
Sterling Value of all the Money coind by Queen Anne		3,136,225	10	01	2
Coind of the present current Money before		20,944,650	13	0	1
Total of the Present current Money coind before the Decease of Queen Anne		24,080,876	3	1	3

Coind by King George the 1st.

	Gold Lwt	Silver Lwt
From the 1st of Augt to 31st of Decr inclusive 1714	9,418	1,013
1715	39,090	1,643
1716	23,765	1,650
1717	13,186	918
1718	3,010	2,295
1719	14,745	1,756
1720	18,959	7,832
1721	5,832	2,313
1722	12,728	1,983
1723	8,306	48,099
1724	5,860	1,652
1725	1,249	2,495
1726	18,683	836
To 11th June — 1727	4,932	661
Total coind by King George the 1st	181,763	75,176

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Coin'd by King George the 1st.	Gold				Silver			
	Lwt	oz	dwt	Grs	Lwt	oz	dwt	Grs
Brought over	181,763				75,176			
					£	s	d	gr
Value of the Gold at 3:17:10½ ℔ Ounce					8,492,876	3	6	
Value of the Stand.d Silver at 5:2d ℔ Ounce					233,045	12		
Sterling Value of all the Money coin'd by King George the 1st.					8,725,921	15	6	
Coin'd of the present current Money before					24,080,876	3	1	3
Coin'd of the Present current Money before the Decease of King George the 1st.					32,806,797	18	7	3

Coind by his prs.t Maj.ty K. George 2.d

	Gold Lw.t	oz	dw.t	Gra	Silver Lw.t	oz	dw.t	Grd
From the 11.th of June to the 31.st of Decemb.r 1727	1,334				nil			
1728	1,153					853		
1729	nil					2,055		
1730	1,961					1,122		
1731	6,544					704		
1732	7,993					845		
1733	17,848					1,155		
1734	10,425					1,590		
1735	2,295					1,116		
1736	7,075					1,713		
1737	1,440					1,200		
1738	5,775				nil			
1739	6,075					3,396		
Carryed over	69,918					15,749		

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Coind by his present Majt. K. George ye 2d.

	Gold				Silver			
	Lwt	oz	dwt	grs	Lwt	oz	dwt	grs
Brought over	69,918				15,749			
1740	4,200				nil			
1741	540				3,060			
1742	nil				nil			
1743	nil				2,400			
1744	210				2,528			
1745	6,270				600			
1746	10,155				44,010			
1747	795				1,500			
1748	7,245				nil			
1749	15,210				nil			
1750	11,955				nil			
1751	9,645				2,614			
1752	12,255	10	15	10	18	9	6	
1753	7,809	"	"	"	19	"	"	
1754	nil				19	"	"	
1755								

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Weight of Gold & Silver coind in each Reign

	Gold				Silver			
	Lbs	S	Dwt	Grs	Lbs	S	Dwt	Grs
By King Charles the 2nd	93,024.	5	8	13	1,025,012	0	14	14
By King James the 2nd.	17.497	6	1		167.198	10	6	20
By King William and Queen Mary	9,962	8	0	14	25,492	4	18	8
By King William alone in the Tower	66,866	3	14	11	1,684,600	0	19	6
In the Country Mints					577.996			
By Queen Anne in the Tower	55,832	2			66,804	9	15	
In the Mint at Edinburgh					103.346			
By King George the first	181,763				75.176			
Weight of all the Gold and Silver to the Decease of King George the first	454,946	1	11	14	3,725,626	2	14	

Value of Gold & Silv.r coin'd	Value of Gold		
	£	s	d
By King Charles 2nd	4,346,567	10	7
By King James 2.nd	2,219,320	17	7
By King Will.m & Queen Mary	465,505	14	3
By King Wm. alone in y.e Tower	3,124,328	6	11
In the Country Mints			
By Queen Anne in the Tower	2,608,757	19	9
In the Mint at Edinburgh			
By King George the first	8,492,876	3	6
To the Decease of K. Geo: the 1st	21,257,356	12	8

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Value of Silver				Value of both Gold & Silv.r			
£	s	d	gr	£	s	d	gr
3,177,537	7	9	1	7,524,104	18	4	3
518,316	9	5	1	2,737,637	7	0	3
79,026	9	4	3	544,532	3	8	
5,222,260	4	11	3				
1,791,787	12			10,138,376	3	10	3
207,094	18	4	2				
320,372	12			3,136,225	10	1	2
233,045	12			8,725,921	15	6	
11,549,441	5	11	2	32,806,797	18	7	3

Contd as by the Controllment Rolls

The Foregoing Account
is made up annually from the
1st of January to the 31st of Decr
both inclusive
But the Controllmt Rolls
from whence it is abstracted being
made up to different times of the
year till that endg 31st of Decr 1701.
The following is an Account
of the Coinage as by sd Controllmt
Rolls to that time by which
it will appear that the Amount
of both Accounts is the same
to that Day

And

From July 20 16[illegible]
to the last of Marc[illegible]
16[illegible]
From 1st of Apr. 16[illegible]
to the last of March
16[illegible]
16[illegible]
16[illegible]
16[illegible]
From 1st of April 16[illegible]
20 Decr ensd 16[illegible]
Coind before the [illegible]
Moneys of 4 preced[illegible]
Coind Money —

Gold				Silver			
Lbs	s	ds	gs	Lbs	s	ds	gs
213	1	13		79.277	0	10	
703	6	10		117.345	3	18	18
206	3	17	18	69.033	6		
1.483	3	10	6	24.311	3		
1.900	3	15	18	10.382			
904	11	10	12	11.210			
5.493	10	17	6	312.761	1	8	18
4.575	2	14	6	137.069	10	18	18

Coinid as by the Controllment Rolls

And from thence forward the Controllment Rolls are all made up from the 1st. of January to the 31st. of December both inclusive Except That in the Year 1737 There were two Controllmt. Rolls One commencing the 1st. of January & Ending the 23d. of May the Day on which John Cordwill Esq. late Master and Worker dyed And the other commences from ye said 23d. of May Ends the 31st of Dec. Viz.t

	Gold	Silver
To 23 May	1,170 Lt.	1,200
To 31 Dec.	270	
Coind in 1737	1,440	1,200

From 20 Dec.	1666
to 20 Dec.	1667
	1668
	1669
	1670
	1671
	1672
	1673
	1674
	1675
	1676
	1677
	1678
	1679

Gold				Silver			
Lt.	Oz	Dwt	Grs	Lt.	Oz	Dwt	Grs
2,511	4	12	13	17,221	2		
4,760	8	9	7	39,583	2		
2,582	5	19	8	14,966	11	10	
2,516	3	19	20	12,767	9		
4,153	7	10	6	40,055	2	7	
1,859	6	7	18	88,383	8	17	
2,721	2	18	23	98,364	4	15	
1,873	6	1	16	13,286	3	15	
1,154	6	3	3	1,836	2	5	
5,188	8	7	7	101,336	11	15	
5,201	4	16	18	143,719	0	13	
3,000	6	13	12	7,981	2		
11,986	7	13	6	81,613	3	5	
49,510	7	17	13	693,335	4	12	

Coinid as by ye Controllment Rolls

		Gold				Silver			
		Lwt	ʒ	Dwt	grs	Lwt	ʒ	Dwt	grs
Brought over		49.510	7	17	13	693.335	4	12	
From the 20th of Decembr 1679 to July 22nd	1680	8,080	9	16		41,495	00	10	
To the 22nd of November	1682	13,149	4	4	6	57,010	11	10	
From the 22nd of Novr 1682 to the last Sept	1684	14,101	1	16	12	95,890			
To the last of July	1685	5,597				4,032	9	13	20
To the 20th of July	1686	16,192	11	15		33,789	6	5	
From the 22nd of July 1686 to ye last of Sept	1687	12,260	6			9,729	4		
To the last of Sept	1688	14,005	10	6		3,954	11	11	20
To the last of Sept	1689	3,260	2			54,162	6	15	17
To the last of Decembr	1690	1,408	10	13		643	5		
To the 25 of March	1691	157	9			nil			
To the last of Sept	1692	2,801	10	15		2,545	4	5	2
To the last of Sept	1693	1,686	11	12	14	515	6	1	
To the last of Sept	1694	1,581	4			2,528	6	16	13
To the last of Sept	1695	12,015	1			20			
		157,810	7	15	21	1,080,653	5	1	0

Coind as by the Controllm.t Rolls.

	Gold Lw.t	oz	Dw.t	Grs	Silver Lw.t	oz	Dw.t	Grs
Brought over	157,810	7	15	21	1,080,653	5	1	
From the 30.th of Sept.r 1695 to the 31.st Dec.r 1699								
Viz.t Coynage Paid for by the Importers	588	5	9	5				
Coynage Paid for out of the Duty	23,223	2	10	19				
Hammered Money and Wrought Plate Viz.t								
From the Exchequ.r melted at Westminster					790,860	1	19	8
Imported into the Mint and there melted					696,971	0	16	19
Private Importers					154,465	11	16	11
From 31 Dec.r 1699 to the 27.th of Dec.r 1700	2,701	4	14	11	4,805	10	6	16
From the last of Decemb.r 1700 to the last of Dec.r 1701	26,742				37,477			
	211,065	8	10	8	2,765,233	6	0	6

Coind in the Tower since the Act &c.

	Gold				Silver			
	Lwt	℥	dwt	gr	Lwt	℥	dwt	gr
By King Charles the 2nd	88,449	2	14	7	887,942	1	15	20
By King James the 2nd	47,497	6	1		167,198	10	6	20
By King William and Queen Mary	9,962	8	00	14	25,192	4	18	8
By King William alone	66,866	3	14	11	1,684,600	0	19	6
	212,775	8	10	8	2,765,233	6	0	6
Deduct it being Part of the Controllmt. Roll ending December the 31st. 1702 Viz+ Before the 8th of March 1701/2	1,710				nil			
Thus the Controllmt. Rolls & the Annual Account agree in Amount to December the 31st. 1701.	211,065	8	10	8	2,765,233	6	0	6

Coind as by Controllm.t Rolls & annual Acc.t

		Gold Lio.t	Gold oz	Gold dw.t	Gold Grs	Silver Lio.t	Silver oz	Silver dw.t	Silver Grs
Coind by King William in	1701/2	1.710				nil			
By Queen Anne in	1702	1,932				114	6		
This makes the Amount of Controllm.t Roll	1702	3.642				114	6		
Coind by Queen Anne in	1714	20,108				553			
By King George the 1st in	1714	9,418				1,013			
This makes the am.t of Controllm.t Roll	1714	29.526				1,566			
Coind by King George the 1st	1727	4,932				661			
By King George the 2nd	1727	1,334				nil			
This makes the am.t of Controllm.t Roll	1727	6,266				661			

Remarks on the Controllm.t Roll

Note The Controllm.t Roll 1686 ends July 20.th and the next commences from the 22.d of July 1686.

Note also the Controllm.t Roll 1700 ends the 27.th of Decemb.r and the next begins from the last of December 1700.

But by Examining the Day Books it appears there was no delivery of Money during both the times unaccounted for.

Observations on y^e Coyn^g. by K. Ch. 2^nd.

1661. Decemb^r. 6^th. Sir Thomas Vinar Kn^t. & Bar^t. Francis Meynell Esq^r. Sheriff of London and Edward Backwell Esq^r. contracted to receive all the Cross and Harp Silver Monies (except what were clipt) from his Majesty's Receivers & all other Officers & Persons & w^th all convenient Expedition pay for them by Tale in English current Money & at their own Charge recoine them at the Mint into English curr^t. Money In consideration whereof his Majesty in Council on said 6^th. of December 1661 agreed to allow them £5:10:0 for evry hundred Pounds in Tale of the said Cross and Harp Monys they should so receive and recoin in lieu of Want of Weight & Charge of Coinage

Note

Observations on y^e Coynage by K. Chi. 2^d.

Note This Gross and Harp Monies so receivd & recoind together w^th y^e Monies for the Sale of Dunkirk which was 1,500.000 french Crowns or 4.500.000 Livres Tournois and produced in Standard Silver by Weight Lw^t. 108.636 = 7 lb^s 9 dw^s 6 gr^s C. 3. 2. and made in English coind Money by Tale £336,773:3:9½ were more than all the Silver monies coind in the Years 1662= 1663 & 1664 before mentioned — Note the King allowed 2^s ℔ Lw^t. on the french Silver for Coinage.

Note the Gold coind to the 31^st. of Dec^r. 1662 inclusive was in Unites Double Crowns and Britain Crowns as appears by y^e Verdict of the Jury at the Tryal of the Pix July the 9^th. 1663

Note

Observations on ye Coyn. by K. Ch. 2.

Note the Sign Manual of K. Charles the 2nd for cutting the Poundw.t of Gold into 44½ Guineas bears date the 24th. Day of Dec.r 1663 And the Lw.t 27: 8: 0: 0 of Gold coind in the Year 1663 was not delivered at the Mint till ye 31st of Dec.r 1663 as appears by the Day Books of the Mint So that that Quantity and all the Gold that have been coind Since has been coind into five Guineas double Guineas Guineas halves and Quarters of Guineas No other Species of Gold having been found in any Pix Since the Tryal July 9th. 1663.

Observations on ye Coyn. by K. Will.

The Great Recoynage of Silver

	Silver				Amount in Tale			
		lbs	3	dwt	grs	£	s	d	q
Of the Silver coind from 30th Sept. 1695 to 31st Dec. 1699 There were of twelve General Remains of clipt hammerd money taken in by ye Lords of the Treasury and melted at Westminster into 10,933 Ingotts & then brought to the Mint	790.860	1	19	8				
These made in Tale as by ye Controllment Roll					2,463.110	17	7	2
There was likewise hammerd Money & wrought Plate imported into the Mint & there melted	696.971	0	16	19				
This made in Tale as by the Controllment Rolls					2,170.978	7	6	
Carried over	1,487.831	2	16	3	4,634.089	5	1	2

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Observations on y^e Coynage by K. Will.

The great Recoynage of Silver.

Note this Silver tho' coind within the Remedy made in Tale considerably more than it would amount to at 5^s 2^d ℔ Ounce

	Silver				Amount in Tale			
	Lb^t	3	2w^t	g.^s	£	s	d	q
Brought over	1,487,831	2	16	3	1,634,089	5	1	2
At the Country Mints								
At Bristol	146,977				457,096	3		
At Chester	101,660				316,199	12		
At Exeter	147,296				458,462	2	6	
At Norwich	83,040				257,944	18	6	
At York	99,023				310,447	13	8	
Total coind in Consequence of the Acts for remedying the ill State of the Coin	2,065,827	2	16	3	6,435,039	14	9	2
Value of the said Silver at 5^s 2^d ℔ Ounce					6,404,064	8	6	
More in Tale than its amount at 5^s 2^d ℔ Ounce					30,975	6	3	2

Observations on the Coyn^{ge}. by K. Will^{m}.

Note The Controllm^{t}. Roll of Exeter Mint mentions ^{two} 10. more to be coind than is mentioned in this Account but by Inspecting a State of the Masters Accounts ^{the} 10. the Crown drawn up by the Auditor I find he takes Credit for the Coynage of ^{y} Quantity's herein mentioned in each Mint & no more & therefore I have charged no more as Coind

Note the Gold coind from the 2nd. of March 1695 to January 1696 being Lu^{t}. 588:5:9:5 was Coind at the Expence of the Importers & not paid for out of ^{y} Coynage Duty The Obligation to coin Gold being Suspended by Act of Parl^{t}. during ^{y} time.

In Sir Isaac Newtons Memorial of Sept^{r}. the

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Observations on ye Coyne by K. William

21st 1717 presented to the Lords of the Treasury on which was founded the Reduction of Guineas there is the following Paragraph.

At the same time Viz.t in ye last Year of K. William The Lewis Dors of France which were worth but 17s 0 3/4 a peice passed in England at 17s 6 I gave Notice thereof to ye Lords Commrs of the Treasury & his late Majesty put out a Proclamation that they should go but at 17s and thereupon they came to the Mint and 1,400,000 were coind out of them
This Accounts for the large Coinage of Gold in the last Year of King William &c.

Observations on the Coyn.t by 2. Anne

1708 The Year of the Union Some of y.e Mint Officers and Moneyers were sent down to Scotland to recoin the Scotch Silver into the pres.t British Coin and there coind Lw.t 103.346 There may have been more of the Present curr.t Money coind in the Mint of Scotland at Edinburgh this Account being only of what was coind by the Moneyers of England there

Note the Controllm.t Roll of y.e Tower Mint From the 31.st of Decemb.r 1708 to y.e 31.st Dec.r 1709 mentions Lw.t 23.199:14:4:10 Part of the Silver coind that year to be from wrought Plate

Note from y.e 31.st of Dec.r 1710 to the 31.st of December 1711 Part of the Silver coind was as follows Viz.t

Observations on y^e Coyn^ge. by 2 Anne

In pursuance of an Addresse of the Honble The House of Commons & her Majestys Warr^t. under her Royal sign Manual Dated the 10.^th of May 1711 Wrought Plate was receivd at the Mint Viz^t.

Old Stand^d. at 5:5 ℔ Ounce
New Stand^d. at 5:8 ℔ Ounce
Stand^d. of uncert^n. Plate at 5:6 ℔ Ounce

That the Value of such Plate as voted amount^d. to £76,670: 2:11 That the Plate in Stand^d. W^t. of 11 Oz 2 dw^ts. fine amounted to in Weight £^o. 22.957: 6:17:17 and produced in coined Money by Tale £71,512: 2:4.

Observations on y^e^ Coyn^a^ by K. George 1^st^

1713 Lw^t^. 210. Part of the Gold coind this Year was coind into Quarter Guineas amounting to £9,812.5:0 This being the only Coynage of Quarter Guineas

Guineas which by all the Indentures of the Mint before were coind to run for 20^s^ but had been curr^t^ at various higher Rates and were then curr^t^ at 21:6 were reduced by Proclamation Dated the 22^nd^ December 1717 to 21^s^ and declared to be current at that Rate.

Observations on y^e Coin^ge by K. Geo: 2^d.

1732/3 On or about the 19^th. of Febry The Honble The House of Commons presented an Address to his Majestys in Consequence of which his Majesty feb: 21^st. 1732/3 By Proclamation prohibited all Persons to receive or utter in Paym^t. by Tale any of y^e Gold Coins commonly called Broad Peices of 25^s. & 23^s. and any halves or Quarters of them. And February 28^th. 1732/3 By his Warrant under his Royal Sign Manual Did & Authorize the Master to receive them into the Mint & pay for them after the rate of £4:1 ^s ^p Ounce Troy & coin them into y^e present curr^t. Coins whereupon there was imported into y^e Mint & coind from y^e 11^th. of Ap^l. 1733 to the

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Observations on the Coyn.ge by K. Geo: 2d.

19th of July 1734 Lo.t 15,482, 5:4:8

At the Rate of £3:17:10½ ℔ Ounce this Gold from the Broad Peices amounted to

£723,416:15:3d

The large Coynage which begun in October 1745 and ended in the Year 1746 Viz.t

of Gold Lo.t 16,425
of Silver Lo.t 44,610

was Chiefly occasioned by the Rebellion + then broke out in Scotland which lowerd y.e Price both of Gold and Silver

The Great Demand on the Bank for Cash, in the beginning of y.e Rebellion obliged them for

Observations on ye Coynd by K. George 2d.

for several Weeks to pay all in Silver & to buy and melt down great part of ye Foreign Coin and import it into the Mint there to be coind into the curr.t Money of Great Britain The Quantity imported by that Corporation was of

Gold Lst 13,785:6:7:17
Silver Lst 35,650:8:2:11

Private Merch.ts also imported great Quantitys The Dutch who were in danger of being over run by the French remitting their Ducats and other money over hither
The Reason of the Word Lima being under the Kings Head on many both of ye Gold and Silver coind this Year was that a great Part of

Observations on the Coyn.ge by K. Geo: 2.do

of the Foraign Gold and Silver so coind was taken by the Prince Frederick and Duke Privateer as it was coming from a City in Spain of that name

The Different Species of money with their respective Quantity's in Weight the Gold and Silver was coind into in 2 y.r Years 1745 & 1746

Gold

	Lib.t
In five Guinea Peices	75: 00: 00: 00
In Guineas	14,925: 00: 00: 00
In half Guineas	1,425: 00: 00: 00
	16,425: 00: 00: 00

Observations on ye Coyn.ge by K. Geo: 2nd.

Silver

	Lwt oz dwts Grs
In Pence	82: 2: 0: 0
Two Pences	78: 6: 0: 0
Three Pences	73: 0: 0: 0
Groats	70: 4: 0: 0
Six Pences	4,980: 0: 0: 0
Shillings	18,206: 0: 0: 0
Half Crowns	20: 700: 0: 0: 0
Crowns	420: 0: 0: 0
	44.610: 0: 0: 0

Acc.t of y.e Sev.l Species of Money mentioned in the Juryes Verdicts to be found in the Pix at the Tryals thereof

Note the Species of Money found is markt thus—

July the 9.th 1663 from the 20.th of July 1660 The Gold was coind into Unites Double Crowns & Britain Crowns

The Privy Mark a Crown

July 4.th 1664 of Silv.r only from feb: 6.th 1662 to July 4: 1664

August 4.th 1699 of Gold from 30 Dec.r 1663 & Silver from 4.th July 1664 & both to y.e 4.th of August 1669

Janry 16.th 1671

Janry 21.st 1672

Feb: 14.th 1673

Feb: 20.th 1674

June 14.th 1677

June 14.th 1679

August 5.th 1681 from 14.th June 1679 to 19.th July 1680

August 5. 1681 from 22.nd July 1680 to 5.th Aug.t 1681

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5 Guineas	2 Guineas	Guineas	½ Guineas	Crowns	½ Crowns	Shillings	Sixpences	Groats	3 Pences	2 Pences	Pence	ha'Spences

Species of Money found in y^e Pix &c.

Nov^r. 7^th. 1684 from 5 Aug^t. 1681 to 1^st. Oct^r. 1684

July 14^th. 1686 from last of Sept^r. 1684 to 14 July 1686

July 4^th. 1692

July 16^th. 1696

July 15^th. 1697

July 15. 1697. Bristol Chester Exeter Norwich & York.

From y^e 1^st. Erection of each Mint respectively to 24^th. June 1697

August the 3^d. 1699. Bristol Exeter Norwich & York

from 24^th. June 1697 to 3^d. Aug^t. 1699

Aug^t. 3^d. 1699 Chester from 24^th. June 1697 to 3^d Aug^t. 1699

Aug^t. 3^d. 1699 Tower from 15^th. July 1697 to 3^d. Aug^t. 1699

Aug^t. 6^th. 1701 from 3^d. Aug^t. 1699 to 23^d. Dec^r. 1699

Aug^t. 6^th. 1701 from 23^d. Dec^r. 1699 to 6^th. Aug^t. 1601

July 31^st. 1707

Aug^t. 21^st. 1710

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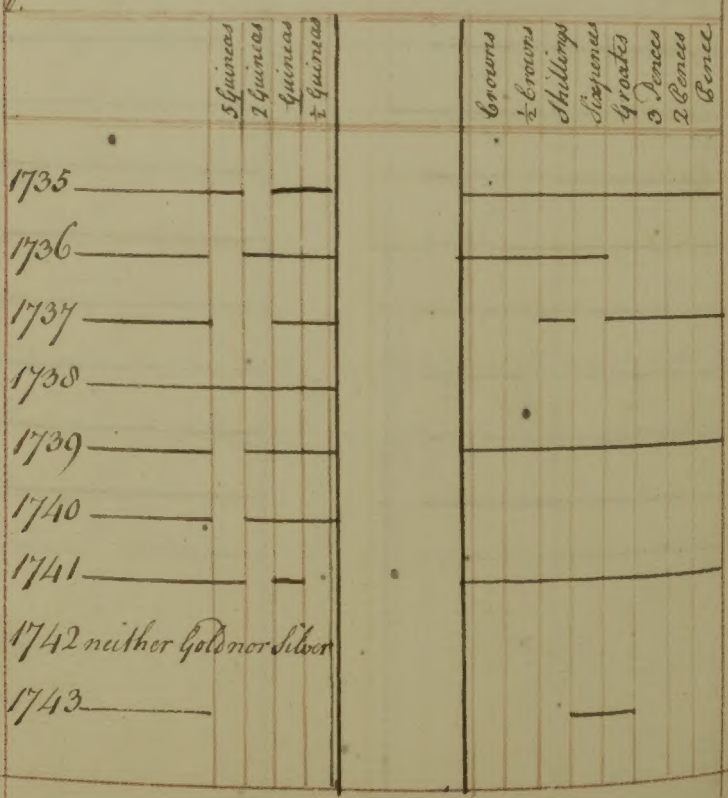
5 Guineas	2 Guineas	Guineas	½ Guineas	Crowns	½ Crowns	Shillings	Sixpences	Groats	Threepences	Two Pences	Pence

Species of Money found in the Pix &c.d

	5 Guineas	2 Guineas	Guineas	½ Guineas	¼ Guineas		Crowns	½ Crowns	Shillings	Sixpences	Groats	Threepences	Twopences	Pence
Aug.t 21.st 1710 Edinburgh from 5 Sept.r to 21 Aug.t 1710														
Aug.t 7.th 1713 Tower														
Aug.t 2.nd 1715														
Aug.t 29.th 1716														
Aug.t 4.th 1718														
Aug.t 23.d 1721														
Aug.t 3.d 1724														
Aug.t 26.th 1727														
Aug.t 15.th 1734														
May 21.st 1740 from 15.th Aug.t 1734 to 23.d May 1737														
July 23.d 1745 from 23.d May 1737 to 3.rd Jany 1744 both excl.d														
July 19.th 1750														
July 16.th 1755														

Coind annually from the 1st. of Jany to 31st Dec. incl.

as farr as I can go back by the Day Books of the Mint The Method being only to mention the Sum putt into the Pix without saying of what Specie it consisted



	5 Guineas	2 Guineas	Guineas	½ Guineas		Crowns	½ Crowns	Shillings	Sixpences	Groats	Threepences	Two Pences	Pence
1744	—		—			—		—		—			
1745	—		—				—						
1746	—		—			—		—					—
1747	—		—				—						
1748	—		—										
1749	—		—										
1750	—		—										
1751	—		—			—		—					—
1752	—		—										—
1753	—		—										—
1754	—												—
1755													

Weight of Gold & Silver Coin'd

	Gold				Silver			
	Lwt	oz	Dwt	Grs	Lwt	oz	Dwt	Grs
To the Decrease of K. Geo 2d 1st see Page 13	454,946	1	4	14	3,725,626	2	14	
Coin'd by his pres.t May 7th K. Geo. 2d. to Dec.r 31st 1751	136,143				72,461			
	591,089	1	4	14	3,798,087	2	14	
To the 31st December 1752.	12,255	10	15	10	18	9	6	
	603,345	"	"	"	3,798106	"	"	"
1753	7,809	"	"	"	19	"	"	"
1754 nil					19	"	"	"
	611,154	"	"	"	3,798144	"	"	"
1755								

Value of Gold & Silv.r coin'd	Sterl.g Value of Gold	Sterl.g Value of Silver	Sterl.g Value of both
	£ s d	£ s d gr	£ s d gr
Toy.e decease of K. Geo.1.st see P. 19.	21,257,356 12 8	11,549,441 5 11 2	32,806,797 18 7 3
Coin'd by his pres.t Maj.ty to 31 Dec.r 1751.	6,361,281 13 6	224,629 2	6,585,910 15 06
	27,618,638 6 2	11,774,070 7 11 2	39,392,708 14 1 3
To the 31.st of Dec.r 1752 ----	572,656 16 3	58 4 0 2	572,715 0 4 1
	28,191,295 26	11,774,128 12 0 0	39,965,423 14 6 .
1753 ----	364,875 10 6	58 18 . .	364,934 8 6
1754 ----	. .	58 18 . .	58 18
	28,556,170 13 .	11,774,246 8 . . .	40,330,417 1 . .
1755 ---			